

**STATE BOARD MEETING DATE**

January 28, 2013

**SUBJECT:** Consideration of **Michael A. Cox**, Case No. **C-2012-048**

**SUBMITTED BY:** Charles Easaw, Chief Investigator, Investigative Unit, State Board of Education

**MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:** January 10, 2013

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

**Michael A. Cox** holds a Standard Elementary Certificate valid from April 16, 2012 through August 22, 2016 and a Provisional Career and Technical Education Health Careers Certificate valid from January 21, 2011 through January 21, 2014.

On November 27, 2012, in the Yuma County Superior Court, Michael A. Cox pled guilty to two counts of Attempted Sexual Exploitation of a Minor and is required to register as a Sex Offender. These convictions constitute unprofessional conduct pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-550 and warrant the immediate and permanent revocation of his Arizona teaching certificate(s).

**BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:** ☐ **INFORMATION** ☒ **ACTION/DESCRIBED BELOW:**

That pursuant to A.R.S. § 15-550, the State Board of Education **permanently revoke** any and all teaching certificates held by **Michael A. Cox**, and that all states and territories be so notified.

**ATTACHMENTS: YES ☒ NO ☐**